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Description: ff. ii + 120 - In contemporary brown leather over pasteboard composed of paper waste, s. XV. - Written for Brother Franciscus Civitellanensis of Civitella del Tronto (prov. Teramo); book plate of Jacob S. Cohen; gift of John F. Fleming in December 1976.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 7

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Language: Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* 15th

Part 1: ff. 1-120v

Description: - Paper - 285 x 200 mm - 2 columns of usually 45 lines ruled in lead.

Country: Italy *Cardinal point:*

Region: Marche *City:* Offida (prov. Ascoli Piceno)

Assigned Date: s. XV^2 *Searchable Date Range:* 1450 - 1499

Dated by scribe: Yes *Inscribed Date:* 1455, July 28

Document: No *Number of Scribes:* ;4: i, ff. 1-41v; ii, ff. 43-95; iii, ff. 96-106; iv, ff. 106-120v

Scribe(s): Vannarellus de Offida

Script: Gothic minuscule

Other Decoration: A single 4-line red initial; spaces reserved with guide letters for initials; ff. 96-106, cadelled initials.

Notes: Scribed wrote ff. 43-95. The year "1455" in the colophon on f. 95 is almost certainly over an erasure, but seems to be in the hand of the scribe (as if he himself corrected a mistake?).

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1: ff. 1-120v

Author: Paulus Venetus

Title: Summa totius philosophiae naturalis

Language(s): Latin

Notes: Contains only "In octo physicorum libros" and "De anima" complete, with a fragment of "De generatione"; texts in noncanonical order.

Status of text: Many folios missing internally; last section ending defectively.



f. 1

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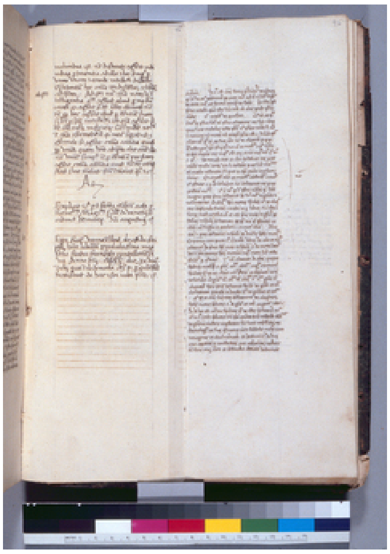
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f. 29 Manicule.

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f. 95 Shorn leaf; scribal colophon.

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f. 96 Flourished initials.

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f. 104v Catchword centered between columns and within frame (this system followed only by this scribe).

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f. 106 Change of scribe in mid-column.

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f. 120v

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